May C. P. Sand

A Little Over Half Price for Silk and Lisle Gloves

There's never been a Fabric Glove Sale like this in

Briefly, the story is this: \$6,000 worth of New Fabric Gloves were offered us by the leading house of New York to sell for about \$3,200.

We accepted the offer at once, & the Gloves went on sale yesterday morning. The response was gratifying—even to us, who plan big things & expect big things. Full assortments ready for you this morning.

Black Lisic Gloves, 2 25c clasp, 50c value, pair... 2 clasps, silk embroidered back, 75c 29c 16-button Black, White & Tan Liste Gloves; \$1.00 value, 29c

Milanese Silk Gloves, in black & white, double tip, 2 44c clasps; 75c value, at..... Milanese Silk Gloves, in black, white & tan, 2 clasps, Paris 65c point back; \$1 value.....

16-button Milnnese Silk Gloves, in black, tan & white, lustrous silk; \$2.00 value, \$1.00

Preliminary Steps for Consolida-

tion of Richmond and Manches-

ter Progressing Steadily.

HAWLEY SYNDICATE MAY TAKE SEABOARD

Report Here That Chesapeake na and Ohio Will Form Alliance CUMM LLS ARE Reaching Through South.

RECEIVERSHIP TO END SOON

Heavy Buying in Seaboard Gives Rise to Belief That Hawley Is in the Market.

Recent activity in Seaboard Air Line stocks, now classed as Seaboard Com-

no small figure in the railroad world.

Scaboard Stock Goes Higher.

Since April 1 Scabbard common has advanced from 15 to 30, the first preferred from 27 to 40. Lately the earnings have increased to that point where they show a margin over fixed charges, the business generally indicating that the company is on its feet, and that the receivership can terminate without detriment to the interests of stockholders.

The Scaboard Air Line, with a mileage of 2,821, is naturally regarded as

TERM IN PRISON WHOLE COMMUNITY

O'Rourke, Hobson and Magruder Locked in Cell at Noon and Released at Midnight.

PLEADED GUILTY IN COURT

One Day in Jail, With Fines, Imposed on Race-Track Performers-Try Barrett To-Morrow.

Before Magistrate Thomas P. Larus of Henrico county, yesterday morning O'Rourke, John Magruder and A. M. Hobson were fined \$100 each and sentenced to one day in the county ation of certain gambling games at the State Fair Grounds during the fined an additional \$100 on the charge of resisting an officer of the law, he

of resisting an officer of the law, he having been doorkeeper at the time that the place was raided by the police and the county officers.

William Barrett, alias Nowland, alleged to have been conducting a farolayout, had his case postponed until to-morrow morning. The trials were set for yesterday at 10 A, M., but on account of the fact that the witnesses were late they were postponed unit account of the fact that the winesses were late they were postponed until 11:30 o'clock. The hearing concluded in time for the men to begin their sentences at noon. They were released at 12 o'clock last night.

der were conducted from the magis-trate's courtroom to the fall, it was suggested that they be placed in the suggested that they be placed in the sannual report at the open jetl office under guard until the twelve two triam. The outgoing preside old was present in the expectation of carring the evidence of the large number of witnesses called to tell about the affair for the Commonwealth. In its respect they were sorely disappointed. Through their attorney, N.

Gity Clerk Ben. T. August yesterday proper to the was making it company common, first and second proper control of that property. It seems to the bellof in local banking and railroad circles that the Hiswey syndicate may acquire control of that property. It seems to be seen the receivership will shortly end, when the receivership will shortly end to the receivership will shought (E. Jones, T. A. Shuffership will be sounded to committee the similar committee on complete the similar committee on complete the similar committee on the receivership will shought (E. Jones, T. Shuffership will be submitted to the Richmond of the receivership will shought (E. Jones, T. Shuffership will be submitted to the Richmond of the receivership will be reasonable to the receivership will be submitted will be reasonable to the rece

Mary Alice Webster (colored), of 17 South Seventeenth Street, took an overdose of laudanum last night to induce sleep. Sho slept beyond the time she was supposed to awaken and the city ambulance was called. Dr. Sterrett treated her and brought her out of the cema.

Fairmount Club to Meet.

GAMBLERS SERVE IMPOSE TAX ON SIMPLE PLEDGE I

President of Fire Agents' Association Offers Solution to Fire-Says, Hereby Affirms That He man's Relief Fund Ouestion. Is a Democrat.

Christiansburg Man Is at Head Not Believed That Party Men of Virginia Organization During Coming Year.

W. L. Pierce, of Christiansburg, Va., was elected president of the Virginia Association of Local Fire Insurance Agonts at the annual meeting of that association yesterday afternoon at

were;
B. F. Kirkpatrick, of Lynchburg,
first vice-president.
E. E. Goodwyn, of Emporia, second
vice-president.
S. T. Pulliam, of Richmond, secretary vice-president. E. Goodwyn, of Emperia, second

tees were named as follows: L. W. Childrey, of Norfolk, executive committee; Charles I. Lunsford, of Rosnoke, legislative committee; M. J.

mittee.

The following were named as delegates to the national convention, which meets at Atlantic City in September: W. Lee Powell, Newport News; Coleman Worthum and George A. Gibson, Richmond; L. W. Childrey, Norfolk; W. T. Paxton, University of Virginia; J. T. Withers and R. L. Woodward, Suffolk; Charles I. Lunsford, Roanoke; E. F. Kirkpatrick, Lynchburg, and W. L. Pierce, Christiansburg.

In his annual report at the opening sossion early in the afternoon, Coleman Wortham, the outgoing president, dwell at some length upon the firemen's pension law, which was enacted by the last General Assembly. He declared that there should be a pension fund for the old and disabled firemen, but that the fund should be derived from a tax upon the whole community, and not upon the fire insurance companies alone. He went on to say that when the present law was passed he expressed the belief that it was unconstitutional and trait the courts would so declare it. He was not at all surprised, then, when the courts issued a restraining order against the State insurance Commissioner when the commissioner attempted to put the law into effect.

Continuing. President Wortham pointed out that some law imposing an equable tax on all business interests for the relief of the firemen should be passed.

regards the firemen's pension law.
"It is resolved that we indorse what or cruelly torturing a mule.

James Davis (colored), charged with runding a disorderly house, resorted for unlawing an disorderly house, resorted for unlawing placed under \$100 security for thirty lays.

Agents Want More Pay.

affiliation with the National Association.

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"We indorse the suggestion of the president that the commission committee be continued, and that we continue our fight along conservative lines for the increase of compensation, which we feel and know to be absolutely due us; therefore we recommend that a committee of three be appointed to draft suitable resolutions asking for and insisting upon increased compensation, to be sent to the secretary of the Southeastern Underwriters' Association, in meeting at Old Point the 26th instant, and ask for a reply within thirty days from the date of this committee be authorized to receive the reply and report same to the president of this association, who will call a meeting of the whole association is necessary.

"We agree with our president that the policy of the same and that the policy in the properties of the plant is \$10,000. Councilman Hir port is \$10,000. The president of the president of the president of the president of the same properties of the plant is \$10,000. Councilman Hir port is \$10,000. The properties of the plant is \$10,000. Councilman Hir port is \$10,000. The properties of the plant is \$10,000. Councilman Hir port is \$10,000. The properties of the plant is \$10,000. Councilman Hir port is \$10,000. The properties of the plant is \$10,000. Councilman Hir port is \$10,000. The properties of the plant is \$10,000. The properties of the plant is \$10,000. The plant is \$10,000. The properties of the part is \$10,000. The properties of the part is \$10,000. The properties of the plant is \$10,000. The plant is \$10,000. The properties of the plant is \$10,000. The properties of the part is \$10,000. The part is \$10,000. The properties of the part is \$10,000. The part is \$10,000. The properties of the part is \$10,000. The pr THE PRINT OF SECTION AND ADDRESS TRANSPORT OF STATE AND ADDRESS TRANSPORT OF STATE ADDRESS TRANSPORT O

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W. L. PIERCE NEW PRESIDENT PLAN COMMITTEE'S IDEA

Will Find Objections in

the Oath,

From thoroughly reliable sources it was learned yesterday that the pledge which had been framed by the commit tee on plans of the city Democraticary on June 24 will be by no means drastic, but that, on the other hand, it will be the mildest used here as oven freely made in The Times

mas even freely made in The Timesprocess, a subject to the general
committee to reject this recommendation, and to insert a pledge of a different nature, but it is believed that
the language adopted by the subcommittee will be approved without material alteration when the general
meeting is held Friday night to take
the matter up.

"I Am a Democrat,"

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which meets at Atlantic City in September: W. Lee Powell, Newport News; Coleman Worthum and George A. Gibson, Richmond; L. W. Childrey, Norfolk; W. T. Paxion, University of Virginia; J. T. Withers and R. L. Woodward, Suffolk, Charles I. Lunsford, Roanoke; E. F. Kirkpatrick, Lynchburg, and W. L. Pierce, Christiansburg.

Should Tax Entire Community.
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The meeting Friday night promises to be largely attended, as a number of to be largely attended, as a number of the matters other than the pledge which are of public interest are involved in the making of a primary plan, if Friends of various candidates will seek to have the assessments for entry and expense placed at the lowest reasonable figure, this being a feature which a always provokes discussion. The general committee will meet every Frienday night from now until the primary battle is over.

INVITE PIANO MEN

Fifty Agents Present.

About fifty agents were present when President Wortham called the meeting to order at noon. Mayor Richardson welcomed the agents to the city, and Colonei Childrey, of Norfolk, responded on behalf of the association. The reading of the report of the president consumed practically all of the remainder of the opening session, the report being referred to the committee on resolutions for action.

The visitors were guests of the local agents at luncheon, and the second, and final, session began at 3:30 o'clock. The election of officers was the principal business of that session, but a number of routine matters were disposed of before the association adjourned at 5 o'clock.

The following report of the committee on resolutions on the annual report of the president was presented and adopted:

"We approve the president's address as to multiple agencies, and beg to call attention to the fact that Richmond is not the only city having dual agencies. The fact is that one of the local companies in Virginia has tree

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Gans-Rady Company

BALTIMORE BANKERS GET RICHMOND BONDS

TO BE DISPLAYED BROKERAGE FEE IS SAVED

Closing Exercises at Virginia Mechanics' Institute Begin Thursday Night.

Church. The results of the past year have been most gratifying to the management of the institution, 502 students having been enrolled and the average standard of work having been exceptionally high. The following program of closing exercises will be followed:

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Introductory remarks by Superintendent Frank Duke.

Introduction of the speaker, Address by the Rev. H. D. C. Maciachian.

Delivery of diplomas and certificates, Delivery of the "Lou Mor" medal, gift of Henry S, Hutzler, by W. T. Dabey, Delivery of the Chewning medal, gift of Henry S, Hutzler, by W. T. Dabey, Delivery of the Duckhardt prize, gift of Richard Duckhardt, for the best design, by the Rev. W. C. James.

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The drawing-room, laboratories and mechanical shops will be open for inspection with the work of the students completed during the past year. In the auditorium may be seen two excellent pleces of sculpture made from clay models by Louis P. Selden and William J. Moll. the Work of the students completed during the past year, in the auditorium may be seen two excellent pleces of sculpture made from clay models by Louis P. Selden and William J. Moll. the Work of the students and a variety of other subjects.

COMMITTEE SPLIT

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Major Anderson Returns,

Attorney-General William A. Anderson eturned to the city yesterday from Charleston, W. Va., where he had been for the past growing section of the West End, problem, W. Va., where he had been for the past growing section of the West End, problem, W. Va., where he had been for the past growing section of the West End, problem, W. Va., where he had been for the rapidly on the lot precently purchased by the School Board on Hanover Avenue.

Million and a Half Issue Authorized by Council, Is Sold

Fund Derived from This Source to Be Used for Water, Schools and Sewers.

chase of \$1,500,000 in bonds, authorized

TRIAL BEGINS TO-DAY